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Minutes of June 24, 2010

A meeting of the Senate Committee on Education was held on Thursday, June 24, 2010, in room 210, Farnum Building, 125 W. Allegan Street, Lansing, MI 48933.

- Senator Kuipers called the meeting to order at 2:03 P.M. The roll of the Committee was called by the Committee Clerk:

Senator Kuipers – Present
Senator VanWoerkom – Present
Senator Cassis – Present
Senator Whitmer – Present
Senator Gleason – Present

Agenda

- Approve minutes from June 17, 2010.

Motion by Senator VanWoerkom to approve the minutes from June 17, 2010 was supported by Senator Cassis.

A record roll call was ordered as follows:

Senator Kuipers – Yes
Senator VanWoerkom – Yes
Senator Cassis – Yes
Senator Whitmer – Yes
Senator Gleason – Yes

- **SB 1077** Sen. Kahn
Fire; other; model firefighter training program for high school pupils; provide for, and encourage implementation of.
- Dave Biswas, from Senator Kahn's office, gave a brief introduction of SB 1077 and the S-1 substitute for the bill.
- Motion by Sen. Van Woerkom to adopt the S-1 substitute to SB 1077 was supported by Sen. Cassis.

A record roll call was ordered as follows:

Senator Kuipers – Yes
Senator VanWoerkom – Yes

Senator Cassis – Yes
Senator Whitmer – Yes
Senator Gleason – Yes

- Motion by Sen. Van Woerkom to report the S-1 version of SB 1077 with favorable recommendation for passage and immediate effect was supported by Sen. Cassis.

A record roll call was ordered as follows:

Senator Kuipers – Yes
Senator VanWoerkom – Yes
Senator Cassis – Yes
Senator Whitmer – Yes
Senator Gleason – Yes

- **SB 1196** Sen. Cropsey
Higher education; governing boards; authority to set amount of civil fines for certain civil infractions; revise.
- Per the request of John Lazet, from Senator Cropsey's office; Steve Webster, Vice President for Governmental Affairs at MSU, and Chief Mike Rice, from the MSU Police Department, gave an introduction of SB 1196 and spoke in support of the bill.
- Motion by Sen. VanWoerkom to report out SB 1196 with favorable recommendation for passage and immediate effect was supported by Sen. Gleason.

A record roll call was ordered as follows:

Senator Kuipers – Yes
Senator VanWoerkom – Yes
Senator Cassis – Yes
Senator Whitmer – Yes
Senator Gleason – Yes

- **SB 1284** Sen. Cassis
Education; school districts; certain school districts to implement intervention program; provide for.
- Senator Cassis gave an introduction of SB 1284 and the S-2 substitute.
- Lisa Hansknecht, representing the Michigan Department of Education, did not wish to speak and supports SB 1284.
- Motion by Sen. Cassis to adopt the S-2 substitute to SB 1284 was supported by Sen. VanWoerkom.

A record roll call was ordered as follows:

Senator Kuipers – Yes
Senator VanWoerkom – Yes
Senator Cassis – Yes
Senator Whitmer – Yes
Senator Gleason – Yes

- Motion by Sen. Cassis to report the S-2 version of SB 1284 with favorable recommendation for passage and immediate effect was supported by Sen. VanWoerkom.

A record roll call was ordered as follows:

Senator Kuipers – Yes
 Senator VanWoerkom – Yes
 Senator Cassis – Yes
 Senator Whitmer – Yes
 Senator Gleason – Yes

- **SB 1402** Sen. Gleason
 Education; curricula; model program for gun safety instruction for elementary school pupils; provide for, and encourage schools to adopt and implement.
- Senator Gleason gave a brief introduction of SB 1402 and the S-1 substitute
- Motion by Sen. Gleason to adopt the S-1 substitute to SB 1402 was supported by Sen. VanWoerkom

A record roll call was ordered as follows:

Senator Kuipers – Yes
 Senator VanWoerkom – Yes
 Senator Cassis – Yes
 Senator Whitmer – Yes
 Senator Gleason – Yes


- Motion by Sen. Gleason to report the S-1 version of SB 1402 with favorable recommendation for passage and immediate effect was supported by Sen. Cassis.

A record roll call was ordered as follows:

Senator Kuipers – Yes
 Senator VanWoerkom – Yes
 Senator Cassis – Yes
 Senator Whitmer – Yes
 Senator Gleason – Yes

- Robert LeFevre, representing the Macomb Intermediate School District, spoke in opposition of all of the bills [SB 1077, 1196, 1284, 1402]
- Senator Kuipers adjourned the meeting at 2:33 P.M.

Respectfully Submitted,


 Paula Englin, Clerk



Date Approved


 Wayne Kuipers, Chair